

Hocking County: Children Services Profile

June 2024

County Demographics 2023

Population		27,938
Race	White	94%
	African American	0%
	Multi-racial	3%
	Other	2%
Ethnicity (% Hispanic)		1%
Child Population		6,063
Per Capita Income		\$32,104
Poverty Rate	All Ages	17%
	Children	24%
Grandparents Raising Grandchildren		497

Agency Response SFY 2024

Reports Screened-In by Agency		191
By Type	Physical Abuse	20%
	Neglect	28%
	Sexual Abuse	12%
	Emotional Maltreatment	0%
	Multiple Allegations	21%
	Family in Need of Services, Dependency, Other	17%
By Category	Abuse or Neglect (Traditional Response)	20%
	Abuse or Neglect (Alternative Response)	62%
	Dependency	10%
	Family in Need of Services	7%
Cases Transferred to Ongoing		25

Children in Custody

	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Change
Total in custody anytime during year	84	74	-12%
Rate per 1,000 children	13.9	12.2	-12%

Permanency

Children who gained permanency through	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Change
Reunification	20	10	-50%
Guardianship	2	0	-100%
Custody to Relative	14	14	0%
Adoption	3	1	-67%
Children waiting to be adopted	5	14	180%

Youth Aged Out of Care

	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Change
Number Aged Out	3	4	33%

Children Served

	On 7/1/2023		On 7/1/2024	
Total	90		104	
In Custody	44	49%	46	44%
In Home	46	51%	58	56%

Profile of Children in Custody on 7/1/2024

Gender

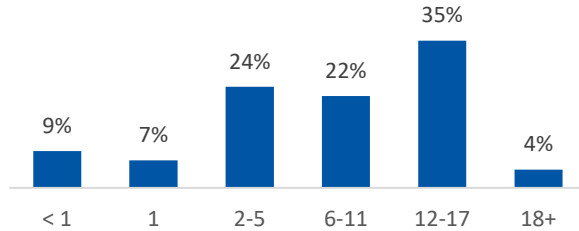
Female	48%
Male	52%

Race

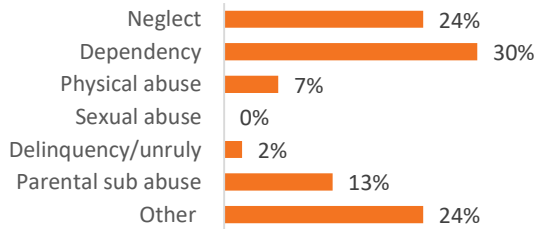
White	96%
African American	0%
Multiracial	4%
Other	0%

Ethnicity (% Hispanic) 0%

Age in Years



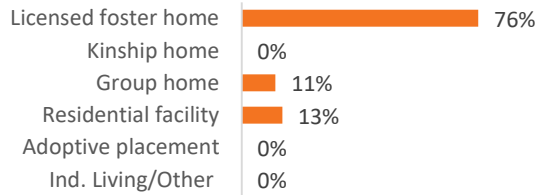
Primary Reason for Removal



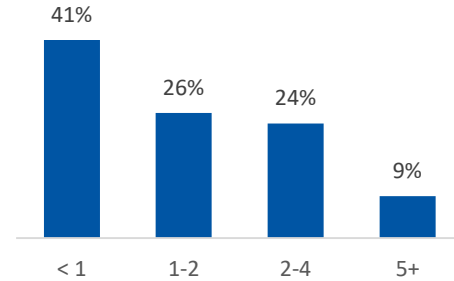
Type of Custody

Temporary	54%
Permanent	43%
Planned Permanent Living Arrangement	2%

Placement Type



Years in Custody



Profile of Children in Home on 7/1/2024

Gender

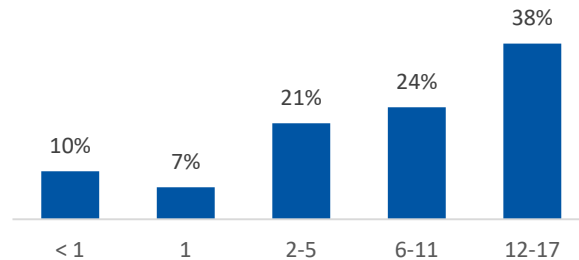
Female	53%
Male	47%

Race

White	93%
African American	2%
Multiracial	5%
Other	0%

Ethnicity (% Hispanic) 0%

Age in Years



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For data sources and notes, go to <https://www.pcsao.org/pdf/factbook/2024/Sources.pdf>